PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKETING DEPARTMENT

NOTICE OF FILING

DOCKET NOS. 1997-207-C & 2001-113-C

McLeodUSA Telecommunications, Services, Inc. has filed with the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("Commission") a request to change the Company's name. The request was filed pursuant to Title 58, Chapter 9 of the South Carolina Code. The Company's name change will change from McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, Inc. to McLeodUSA Telecommunications, LLC d/b/a PAETEC Business Services. The transaction will not affect the Company's current rates or services.

A copy of the Company's entire Application can be found on the Commission's website at is on file in the offices of the Commission, 101 Executive Center Drive, Columbia, South Carolina 29210, and on the Commission's website at www.psc.sc.gov under Docket Numbers 1997-207-C and 2001-113-C. A copy of the Application is also available from Tony S. Lee, Esquire, Venable, LLP, 575 Seventh Street, NW, Washington, DC 20004.

A public hearing, if scheduled, will be held in Columbia, South Carolina, in the offices of the Commission at the above address, for the purpose of receiving testimony and other evidence from all interested parties regarding this Application. The time and date of this hearing will be furnished to all interested parties at a later date.

Any person who wishes to participate in this matter, as a party of record with the right of cross-examination, should file a Petition to Intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure on or before **January 19**, **2010**, and indicate the amount of time required for his presentation. Please include an email address for receipt of future Commission correspondence in the Petition to Intervene. *Please refer to Docket Nos. 1997-207-C and 2001-113-C*.

Any person who wishes to testify and present evidence at the hearing should notify the Docketing Department, in writing, at the address below, the Office of Regulatory Staff at 1401 Main Street, Suite 900, Columbia, South Carolina 29201, and Tony S. Lee, Esquire, at the above address, on or before **January 19, 2010,** and indicate the amount of time required for his presentation. *Please refer to Docket Nos. 1997-207-C and 2001-113-C.*

Any person who wishes to be notified of any change in the hearing, but does not wish to present testimony or be a party of record, may do so by notifying the Docketing Department, in writing, at the address below on or before **January 19**, **2010.** *Please refer to Docket Nos. 1997-207-C and 2001-113-C*.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE: Any person who wishes to have his or her comments considered as part of the official record of this proceeding **MUST** present such comments, in person, to the Commission during the hearing.

Persons seeking information about the Commission's Procedures should contact the Commission at (803) 896-5100.

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